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AGENTS:

B. D. Lefebvre.....	Nanaimo, V. I.
Chit & Jackson.....	New Westminster
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Notices.

TO FARMERS.

THE ENDEIGNED IS PREPARED
To Thrash for his old customers and the public generally
for Five Cents per Bushel and furnish all horses
and our men. H. SMITH, South Sanach.

NOTICE.

MR. EDWIN DONALD, holds my
Power of Attorney during my absence from the
Country. THOMAS TROWNE, a/c.

Card to the Public.

WE THE TEACHERS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL for Victoria City and District, finding it impossible to continue teaching in co-operation of the payment of the monies due us for our services, are reluctantly obliged to close the School till such time as a proper provision shall be made for punctual payment of our salaries.

Four months have elapsed since the new School Ordinance became law during which time we have only received from all sources six months' pay. We deem this explanation necessary for the circumstances; and believe that a discriminating public will not censure us for taking a step which is unavoidable.

JOHN JESSOP,
W. H. BURKE,

Information Wanted

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF G. D. KAUN,
10 years old, has lost a joint of the right forefinger. Last seen in Victoria on the 12th April last, when he was bound for the Peace River Mines. Address to J. LOERZ,
Victoria, V.I., August 24, 1870.

NOTICE.

AS I HAVE AT LAST COME TO A FINAL
settlement in the dissolution of partnership between
myself and Mr. VOGEL & CO. I hereby authorise J. LOERZ, of my
successors, to collect all outstanding accounts of the late
firm. All accounts against said firm will be settled
by the undersigned at the Victoria Brewery. J. LOERZ,
Victoria, V.I., August 24, 1870.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIAN INVEST-
ment and Loan Society.

Incorporated under the Investment and Loan
Society's Ordinance, 1869.

THIS SOCIETY IS EMPOWERED BY
its Rules to now prepare to receive Deposits to
a limited amount and bearing Interest, according to per-
iodical deposit, ranging from 6 to 8 per cent per annum,
repayable on 30 days' notice.

By Section 30 of the above Ordinance the Society is re-
stricted from receiving on deposit any greater sum than
three-fourths of the amount of Capital actually paid in
on unadvisedly setting up in Securities or otherwise
Property by said Society; and the whole of the Property
and Capital so received by the Society shall be liable for the amount
so received, or taken by any such Society."

By Order,

W. C. SIFFKEN,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Colony of British Columbia, Vancouver
Island, to wit:

A COURT OF ASSIZE AND GENERAL
Grand Jury is appointed to sit on Monday, the 10th day of October, previous to the Court House, Victoria,
at the hour of ELEVEN, in the afternoon, before the Hon.
Matthew Baileys, and the Hon. Henry Pering
Pering, Justice of our Lady the Queen, assign-
ed to inquire, hear and determine all treasons, assas-
sions, felonies, misdeeds offences, injuries,
wrongs, whatsoever and whereoverver within the said Island
committed, and also to deliver up all persons and every-
thing committed to their charge in the said Island.

Proclamation is hereby made in conformity to
a previous direction and delivered to me, to all persons
appointed to appear at the said Court by recognition or other-
wise, to appear thereto, and at a Justice of the Peace,
Coroners, and other officers who have a key to my prison,
or the examination of any accused and witnesses,
are required to return same to me, inquisition and
examination by the said Court, at the opening thereof, on
the first day of its sitting.

Given under my hand at the Sheriff's Office,
Victoria, on the 6th day of September.

A. D. 1870. A. C. ELLIOTT, High Sheriff.

Five Hundred Dollars
REWARD!

WHEREAS THERE IS GOOD REA-
SON for suspecting that the steamer Nominus
River, which has lately been burnt down was destroyed
from malice prepense by the hand of an incendiary:
Now, therefore, given that a Reward of Five Hundred
Dollars will be given by the Government for such informa-
tion as will lead to the detection and conviction of the
party or parties concerned in causing the said fire.

By Command,

B. W. PEARCE,
Assistant Surveyor General.

Land and Works Office,
Victoria, 30th July, 1870.

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THE BEST REMEDY
FOR INDIGESTION, &c.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Sept' 23, 1870:

The New Constitution.

"The new, or as he facetiously terms it, six-by-nine Constitution," has formed the subject of two leading articles in our contemporary's columns in the course of five days, and in both instances the writer has gone after the local Government without gloves. Now, we believe in the severest castigation of official wrong-doing under the present constitution, the pen being really the only weapon in the hands of the people; but it is always well to ascertain first where the blame really lies, as indiscriminate and undeserved attack is calculated to blunt the weapon. In so far as the blame for the inexcusable delay which has taken place in preparing and promulgating the new Constitution is concerned, we are disposed to believe that it lies chiefly, if not wholly, at the door of the Colonial Office. The Bill empowering the Queen, by Order in Council, to confer a new Constitution upon British Columbia only came up for a second reading on the 18th of July, upon which occasion the Colonial Minister was taken to task for the delay which so important a measure had experienced, it having been introduced in May last! From these facts three things must be tolerably clear: Governor Musgrave must have placed the matter in the hands of Her Majesty's Government with considerable promptitude; the Bill could barely have passed through Parliament before prorogation, on the 10th August; and therefore, assuming that Her Majesty in Council gave the subject immediate attention, a thing not very probable, there has been barely time for the new constitution to reach the Colony. Now, one must assume ignorance of all these facts on the part of our contemporary, in order to justify his repeated attacks upon the local Government therewith. Yet we cannot do this, for on the 24th of August he informed his readers of the fact that the Bill only came up for a second reading on the 18th of July, although it had been introduced in May. Under all the circumstances it is scarcely fair, it is not even honest, on the part of our contemporary to be continually abusing the local Government for the non-appearance of the new constitution. The delay is undoubtedly aggravating, especially to an ardent politician haunted by a feeling of insecurity; but it is, after all, nothing new. It is only one of the ordinary concomitants of Downing-Street rule, and certainly does not possess the charm of novelty in this community. In so far as the cardinal provisions of the new Constitution are concerned, they have long since been indicated in these columns with a considerable degree of clearness, and our contemporary has himself been enabled to take its dimensions with a sufficient degree of accuracy to feel justified in christening it the "six-by-nine Constitution." It is rather inconsistent, therefore, to profess such an accurate knowledge of the new Constitution as to warrant unmeasured condemnation of it, and, at the same time, affect so much ignorance of it as to justify his constant abuse of the Government for keeping the country wholly in the dark. But the eccentricities of our contemporary, in dealing with the new or six-by-nine Constitution, take a wider and even more pronounced form. In his earlier articles he denounced it as evil and only evil, calculated to deprive the people of the right to manage their own affairs to a great extent as now, and appealed to the colonists to scornfully reject it as an insult to their manhood. No longer ago than Saturday he allowed to it in similar terms of unqualified condemnation; and yet he concludes his leading article of yesterday by asserting that if registered residential manhood *** were made the qualification of the electors in the new Constitution, all would be satisfied, and every interest would be represented. What! The "six-by-nine Constitution" satisfies all, and enable every interest to be represented! So our contemporary, after all his abuse of the new Constitution, on account of the smallness of the representation it proposes giving to the people and the predominating and dangerous power it would give the Government in the Legislature, now thinks it will satisfy everybody if only the qualification for electors — a matter to which he referred a few days ago as a trifling detail, a purely stereotyped detail which a pair of scissors and a solicitor could readily supply — be in accordance with his dictum! So this monster grievance has been reduced to a mere matter of stereotyped detail. Well; there is some satisfaction in being assured that all is serene so far. We must, however, be permitted to dissent from this view. That the new Constitution is such as, in every other respect, will satisfy all and enable every interest to be fairly represented, we utterly and emphatically deny; but that it may answer the purposes of a mere transition state, a step from the chrysalis to the full-fledged state, we admit. A word about this franchise, which now forms the sole difficulty, and respecting which our contemporary has so terribly exercised for several weeks. A little examination will show that the colonists have not been left to grope in absolute murk on this point. The message with which His Excellency opened the last session of the Legislative Council contained a pretty clear intimation that the

British residents of the colony would be invited to elect a majority of the members to compose the next Council; and that intimation, taken in conjunction with semi-official utterances made by His Excellency, leaves little or no room to doubt that the very franchise which our contemporary so earnestly recommends in his issue of yesterday will be the qualification for voters at the next election. Nor can we well conceive that he, himself, is really ignorant of these facts — holds any other opinion. To handle official misdeeds without gloves becomes especially the duty of a public journalist under such a system of Government as obtains here. A free and independent press constitutes almost the sole channel through which popular sentiment can be made to reach the Executive. The press is a great power when properly directed; but, in order to be powerful, it must be conducted with justice, moderation, and decency. This dallying about the new Constitution with which the Colony is to be carried into the Dominion is extremely annoying; and no one would be more disposed than the present writer to animadvert in the severest terms, upon the conduct of the Governor, were we satisfied that the blame rested with him. But, believing, as we do, that the delay is a piece of the ordinary Colonial-Office policy, we cannot see that any good end is to be served by calling the Governor and his Executive officers names.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonial Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits.

New Advertisements.

FELL & FINLAYSON, FAMILY TEA DEALERS & GENERAL GROCERS,

FORT STREET, VICTORIA, V.I.

HAVE RECEIVED EX CORSAIR

Prime Stilton Cheese,
North Wiltshire do
South do do
Cheshire do

ALSO THEY OFFER FOR SALE,
Oregon Cheese
Clear Lake do
California do
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Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Sept 22—Sip Martha, Smith, New Westminster
Sub Eliza, Middleton, Saanich
Cleared
Sept 22—Sip Alarm, Dwyer, San Juan

BIRTHS.

At Victoria, on the 22nd inst., the wife of Mr. Matthew Trotter Johnston of a daughter.

PASSENGERS

For Sir ISABEL, Esq. Port Townsend—Mrs O'Gorrihan, Mrs Greenham, Mrs Korter, child and nurse, Miss St John, J B Montgomery, wife, child and nurse, Miss G Sterring, J Fitzpatrick, D C Rothchild and wife, General E S Fowler, Sir Gallaher, O'Connor, Wolf, Nelson, Bishop, Wallace, Floyd, Pollock, Hardinge, Smith, Thompson, Prentiss Walker, Mooney, Gantz and 13 others.

Auction Sales To-Day.

J P DAVIES & Co.....Wharf street.....Will sell at salesroom, at 11 o'clock, Blankets, Calico, Print, &c., damaged on voyage of importation, ex Corsair.

Court

Before Mr Justice Pemberton.

Thursday, Sept 22d, 1870.

Fell & Finlayson vs Robinson.—This case, which has been some time in the Court and several times adjourned, was finally decided in favor of plaintiffs. The history of the case is: Fell & Finlayson sold goods to Eddy & Robinson, who were partners, to the amount of \$177. In June last T Conlon bought out Eddy, in August, Conlon sold out to Robinson for \$250, the payment of which was secured by a bill of sale of the furniture of the Queen's Head. Fell & Finlayson obtained, and recorded judgment against Eddy & Robinson and sought to enforce the judgment against the goods comprised in the bill of sale, but was resisted by Conlon who claimed under it as above-mentioned. It appeared in the evidence that at the time of making the bill of sale the firm of Robinson & Conlon had not assets sufficient in value to cover the indebtedness. The Judge accordingly decided that the conveyance was not made by one insolvent partner to another, and therefore was a fraud upon the creditor, and void by the statute 27 Elizabeth, and gave judgment for the executive creditor. Mr Bishop for plaintiffs; Mr McCleary, instructed by Mr Courtney, for defendants.

Doughty vs McLean and Allsop.—Action to recover for labor done at the Mechanic's Institute picnic. The charge made by plaintiff was \$20 50. Defendants deposited \$17 in Court. The Court thought the amount tendered ample and entered judgment for defendants. Mr Johnson for the defendants.

Gorridge vs Long and Allsop.—This case, similar to the last, was postponed until Monday next.

REPUBLICANISM IN ENGLAND.—A good deal has lately appeared in our telegraphic reports respecting certain Republican demonstrations in England, but it is a circumstance worthy of remark that these accounts are all traceable to one source—the New York *World's* special London correspondent. The reputation acquired by that journal in times past would appear to justify the hint that anything appearing in its columns either about English or Canadian affairs should be received with a considerable degree of allowance. That a certain Democratic element exists in England, as it does in almost every country, we presume every intelligent person was aware; and that it should seize upon the present European crisis as presenting what appeared a favorable opportunity for an open exhibition of its strength was only to be expected, as it is during such excitements that a party may hope to carry with it many who are not in reality of its faith; but that these Republican demonstrations have assumed the important proportions assigned to them by the *World's* special we do not for a single moment believe.

PUGET SOUND.—We glean the following from the Seattle *Intelligencer* of yesterday: There are now loading at Port Gamble the ships David Hoadley and Elizabeth Kimball, and the bark Milan. A large and splendid building for a new restaurant is being erected on Commercial street. The Mary Woodruff arrived from Bellingham Bay on Wednesday with freight and passengers for Seattle. At Port Blakely the ship John Jay is loading spars, and the barks Oak Hill and Nicholas Biddle are taking in lumber. So many buildings are going up at Walla Walla that a sufficient number of workmen cannot be had.

Bailey Gatzert, Esq., of the firm of Schwabacher Bros & Co of Seattle, is having a very beautiful residence erected. From the Olympia *Tribune* of Wednesday:—The German residents of Portland have remitted \$1210 to Berlin for the relief of wounded Prussians, and Oregon City has contributed \$208 for the like object. Professor Hague, who recently ascended Mount Hood, measured the mountain and makes it 11,300 feet high, thus agreeing with Lieutenant Williamson. The party are preparing to ascend Mount Adams.

FROM PEACE RIVER.—From passengers who arrived by sloop yesterday from Peace River we receive continued unfavorable accounts of the Peace River country. One minor prospected Nation, Parson and Peace Rivers, and Vitale Creek, but found nothing to justify remaining. On Nation River the dust is very fine—almost flour—and not at all plentiful. The two claims first struck on Vitale Creek continue to pay good wages, but the diggings are shallow. The weather had been pleasant, and the health of the district was good. Nation River empties into Parsnip River, and the latter stream into Peace River. It is an exceedingly swift and dangerous stream, rapids and narrow gorges or canons, through which the whole volume of water rushes with terrible rapidity, are numerous. The party of which our informant made one were forced to run all these swift and dangerous places in canoes and narrowly escaped destruction on several occasions. Another prospector confirms the above and adds that a canoe load of provisions was lost in Nation river by upsetting in a rapid. The early prospectors have nearly all left the country and gone back to Cariboo. While at McLeod's lake a report came in that diggings of value had been found on Tache creek; but the rumor was vague and could not be traced to a reliable source.

DISCHARGED.—F G Anstey, who was on Wednesday remanded on a charge of stealing a coat, was yesterday re-examined and the coat not being pressed by Mr Beaver, the owner of the coat, the Judge, in view of the hitherto trustworthy character of the accused, ordered his discharge.

In Town.—J B Montgomery, Esq., of the North Pacific Railroad Company, D G H Rothschild, Esq., and Genl Fowler of Port Townsend arrived last evening by the Isobel.

Theatre.—The Bates company appears to be very popular at Portland. Their performance on Monday night was very highly praised by the local press.

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SERMONS IN STONES.—Mr W Williams, while splitting a piece of sandstone for the construction of the Catholic Church, at Cowichan, the other day, found the impression of a maple leaf, as clearly defined on the stone as if it had been done by hand. The leaf appears on a fragment of stone and on the larger piece from which it was split. How many, many centuries have fled since that stone was minute particles of sand and silt and that leaf, falling from the tree, became a petrification—who can estimate? Mr Williams assures us that petrifications of screw-fish, small leaves, and a perfectly round shell—all varieties now unknown here—are frequently found in the same stone.

COUNTY COURT.—Mr Justice Pemberton.

WILLIAMSON.—Williamson vs Robinson.—This case, which has been some time in the Court and several times adjourned, was finally decided in favor of plaintiffs. The history of the case is: Fell & Finlayson sold goods to Eddy & Robinson, who were partners, to the amount of \$177. In June last T Conlon bought out Eddy, in August, Conlon sold out to Robinson for \$250, the payment of which was secured by a bill of sale of the furniture of the Queen's Head. Fell & Finlayson obtained, and recorded judgment against Eddy & Robinson and sought to enforce the judgment against the goods comprised in the bill of sale, but was resisted by Conlon who claimed under it as above-mentioned. It appeared in the evidence that at the time of making the bill of sale the firm of Robinson & Conlon had not assets sufficient in value to cover the indebtedness. The Judge accordingly decided that the conveyance was not made by one insolvent partner to another, and therefore was a fraud upon the creditor, and void by the statute 27 Elizabeth, and gave judgment for the executive creditor. Mr Bishop for plaintiffs; Mr McCleary, instructed by Mr Courtney, for defendants.

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PUGET SOUND.—The mail steamer Isobel, Capt Starr, arrived from the Sound last evening at 7:15 o'clock, making the passage from Port Townsend in 3 hours. She brought 43 passengers, 76 sacks of feed consigned to D Leneau, and a small mail. The Isobel will sail at 11 o'clock this morning for Port Townsend, connecting with the Alida as usual.

MAINLAND FARMING.—Passers along the wagon-road lately report a very favorable yield—both in quantity and quality—of cereals and root-crops. Harvesting was being energetically prosecuted and the farmers were in excellent spirits. A great many claims of wild land have been located during the past summer.

THE BALL.—Arrangements for the Grand Masonic Ball this evening are complete. Yesterday a bridge was thrown across the space between the Alhambra and the Colonial Hotel, by means of which the supper-room will be reached. A limited number of tickets have been sold and a very pleasant evening's enjoyment is anticipated.

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Sir James Douglas, Capt Clarke, will sail for the East Coast on Monday morning next, instead of on Tuesday, her usual day, to accommodate East Coast exhibitors. Goods intended for the East Coast must be sent to the wharf tomorrow.

BEAVER.—A full grown beaver was shot by Mr Jenkins up the the Arm on Wednesday and may be seen at the store of Mr W B Townsend, David Hoadley and Elizabeth Kimball, and the bark Milan. A large and splendid building for a new restaurant is being erected on Commercial street. The Mary Woodruff arrived from Bellingham Bay on Wednesday with freight and passengers for Seattle. At Port Blakely the ship John Jay is loading spars, and the barks Oak Hill and Nicholas Biddle are taking in lumber. So many buildings are going up at Walla Walla that a sufficient number of workmen cannot be had.

THE COWICHAN SHOW.—The Agricultural and Horticultural Society of Cowichan held their annual Show at Maple Bay on Wednesday. Much interest was manifested in the Show and the attendance was very large.

ON THE WAY.—We observe the Hon F J Barnard's name is in the list of passengers, according to reports circulating at Rome:—Mannini, President; Minister of Finance, Fabris; Minister of War, Porta; Minister of Public Works, Ferrari; Minister of Education, Nunciotti; Minister of Grace and Justice, Musi; Minister of Agriculture, Commerce and Marine, Garibaldi.

BRKLN.—Sept 21—John Gorby, leader of the democratic party, has been imprisoned at Koenigsburg by order of the military authorities for calling a meeting and drafting resolutions against the annexation of French territory. The democrats of Munich passed similar resolutions.

INDIAN WAR.—Great alarm exists at Neah Bay, on the American side of the Straits, in consequence of the outbreak of a war between the Indians, and the U S Revenue Cutter Lincoln started down yesterday to quell the trouble.

GENERAL SHERMAN.—This veteran soldier was a passenger on the steamer Oriflamme, and doubtless arrived at Portland on Tuesday, where a right hearty reception awaited him. It is said he will come to Victoria.

THE PETITION.—For semi-weekly steam communication with Puget Sound has been numerously signed. Upwards of one hundred of the most respectable names in the city appear among the signatures.

HASTINGS SAWMILL.—Mr W C Wallace of Port Madison came over on the Isobel last evening to proceed to Burrard Inlet, having accepted an engagement from the Hastings sawmill company.

PROGRESSING.—The Oregonian of Tuesday says cars on the Oregon and California Railroad were within two miles of the State Capital.

DRAMATIC.—The Bates company appears to be very popular at Portland. Their performance on Monday night was very highly praised by the local press.

IN TOWN.—J B Montgomery, Esq., of the North Pacific Railroad Company, D G H Rothschild, Esq., and Genl Fowler of Port Townsend arrived last evening by the Isobel.

THEATRE.—The theatre has been leased for two months from the middle of October to Mr Bird, who is expected to arrive here in a few weeks with a new Company.

DISCHARGED.—F G Anstey, who was on Wednesday remanded on a charge of stealing a coat, was yesterday re-examined and the coat not being pressed by Mr Beaver, the owner of the coat, the Judge, in view of the hitherto trustworthy character of the accused, ordered his discharge.

THE BRITISH COLONIST.—The sloop Martha, Capt J O Smith, arrived from New Westminster at 5 o'clock yesterday morning with eight passengers, several of whom are from Peace River and Cariboo. The sloop left New Westminster at 12 o'clock on Tuesday night..... His Excellency the Governor is still at New Westminster unable, from illness, to continue his journey to Yale.....A young printer named Hurlbut, lately from Victoria, is in custody upon charge of having broken into the house occupied by the Sisters of Mercy, on Sunday night, with evil intent. He was detected by the Sisters and handed over to the Police. An examination of the accused took place on Tuesday before Mr Bushby, S. M., with closed doors, and the prisoner was remanded for three days.

A NEW STEAMER.—A New steamer is on the way round the Horn from New York to run on this coast. She is owned by J T Wright & Co.

THE IDAHO.—The Idaho arrived from Nanaimo last night, and will sail on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock, for San Francisco direct.

A CORRESPONDENT KILLED.—Col. Pemberton, correspondent of the Times, was killed by a stray shot at Seden.

THE PROPELLER CALIFORNIA.—The propeller California reached Portland yesterday morning.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.—Special to the Daily British Colonist.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.—Europe.

MARSAILLE.—Sept 22—The Municipal Council has voted a war loan of ten million francs.

LONDON.—Sept 21—The German forces have occupied Neuromen.

WASHINGTON.—Sept 22—It is reported that Senator Morton has accepted the mission to England.

WASHINGTTON.—Sept 22—Now when it is definitely known that Senator Williams will not return to the Senate, it is said the President will tender him the position of Secretary General of the U S. This office was created during last session of Congress, but has never been filled.

NEW YORK.—Sept 21—Nothing definite has been received from Paris to-day.

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